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Title: RIBBONED POLARIZATION-MAINTAINING FIBER AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR, AND POLARIZATION-MAINTAINING OPTICAL FIBER ARRAY USING THE SAME

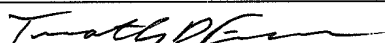
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CLAIMS						
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid	(5) No of Extra Claims Present	(6) Rate (Large Entity)	(7) Additional Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	8	MINUS	20	0	\$50.00	\$00.00
INDEP CLAIMS	1	MINUS	3	0	\$210.00	\$00.00
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE						\$00.00
EXTENSION OF TIME						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.						
<input type="checkbox"/> This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows:						
<input type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) .....					\$120.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) .....					\$460.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) .....					\$1,050.00	
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS FEES						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE Filing Fee (37 CFR §1.17(e)) .....					\$810.00	\$ 810.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer (37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d)) .....					\$130.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: .....						
SUBTOTAL OF FEES DUE						\$ 810.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status (37 CFR 1.27). Therefore, the fee amount is reduced by one-half.						
TOTAL FEES DUE						\$ 810.00
<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The fees associated with this paper are being paid electronically with this submission						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1446.						

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